Mace M. E. Church, South

These people at first worshiped in the school house, it became to small to accommodate the crowd, so they decided to build a church. The church was dedicated in August 1909 under the pastorate of Rev. W. J. Richardson. W. F. Mace and J. D. Mace were leaders in building it.

The money was raised by subscription. Henry G. Davis of Elkins gave $20.

The deed was given on March 10, 1909 by J. D. Mace and Ethel Mace his wife, parties of the first part, to W. F. Mace, Clay Pritt, John E. Louk, J. D. Mace and Harvey W. Doyle, trustees for the M. E. Church, South of Mace, W. Va. a tract of land near the postoffice of Mace containing one half acre. Said premises to be used as a place of Divine worship.

This church has always been open to other denominations when not in use by the Methodists. At present there is a membership of 30. The Trustees are Harvey W. Doyle, J. L. Louk, and J. D. Mace. The Stewards are Harvey W. Doyle and J. L. Louk. Troy Mace is the Supt. and the teachers are J. D. Mace, Frank Wilfong, and Ethel Mace. The class leader is Walter Smith. The pastor is L. L. Casto of Mingo, W. Va.

This church is an appointment on the Mingo Circuit of the Elkins District of the Western Virginia Conference.

From--Mr and Mrs. J. D. Mace